

# THE OCALA EVENING STAR

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OCALA, FLORIDA, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1902.

Fifty Cents a Month, \$5 a Year

## Something Fine and Elegant

Belle Pepper Mangoes; Melon and Cucumber Mangoes, 25c. quart, Try Them.

Egg Noodles and Plain Noodles, 10c. pkg.

Jellyker and Fruit Pudding.

Fancy Crackers. Full line in bulk and packages.

Mincemeat Jams,

Olives, Pure Maple Syrup

The Teapot Grocery

MRS. D. M. HICK

Has received and has on display an elegant line of white beaver and felt hats for ladies and misses. Those ladies who have not yet secured their winter headgear will do well to inspect Mrs. Hick's new stock and make their selections.

A pretty and complete line of stationery. Tydings & Co.



ALWAYS

## A WELCOME VISITOR

Here is the store that helps happy hundreds to give Old Santa a right royal welcome year after year—that helps to spread the Christmas cheer by making the Christmas money go furthest. This is the one place you must not fail to visit in your holiday preparations. Just a few of the good things are mentioned below.

### FRUITS OF ALL KINDS

We will have the best fruits that can be obtained, both foreign and domestic, pure, wholesome and attractive: Catawba Grapes and Malaga Grapes, Bananas, Apples, Pineapples, Lemons, Oranges, Grapefruit, Tangerines and fresh Tomatoes.

We will have a good stock Raisins, Figs and Dates, all fresh and of the finest quality.

### NUTS

We have taken great pains to secure the best Nuts and feel sure we have fresh, new crop Nuts. We have Walnuts, Almonds, Brazil Nuts, Filberts and Pecans.

### FINE CANDIES

Candies we will have from the cheap mixtures up to the highest grade Chocolates and Bon Bons. In package Candies we will have several novelties. Something new will be some very handsome glove and Handkerchief Boxes filled with the highest grade Chocolates and Bon Bons, which would make elegant Christmas presents. Will also have an assortment French boxes filled with fine candies from both of our agencies—Wiley's and Lowney's.

### FIREWORKS

We will have a full assortment of Fireworks. Several novelties and all the staples and cheap, too.

### CIGARS AND TOBACCO

There are many things here that will add to the happiness of the smoker at Christmas time. In the first place there's a box of those clear Havana cigars made by Sanchez & Haya. Then there are fancy Pipes, attractive Cigar Holders and everything in the smoker's line.

Yours for a Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year

**T. W. TROXLER**

## TOO MUCH TURPENTINE

An Attempt Will be Made to Restrict the Output—Pay of Choppers Will be Increased.

The executive committee of the turpentine operators' association has ordered an advance of a quarter cent a box for cutting. The former price was 1 1/4 cents a box; it is now 1 1/2 cents. This advance was made because of the advance in the price of groceries and other commodities consumed by the chopper.

Secretary John C. Powell calls on all operators to cut as few boxes as possible, as in this is the only salvation of the operators in securing better prices for the output.

## THE SWELLEST THING OF THE SEASON

Will Be the Ocala Rifles' Minstrel

The Rifles met last night and instead of their regular meeting had one of a series of rehearsals under the supervision of Mr. Fales, who has managed the annual minstrels for the Jacksonville Light Infantry for a number of years.

Mr. Fales has promised the boys that this year's minstrel will be "the thing" and they are very enthusiastic. The rehearsal went off beautifully last night and indicated much latent histrionic talent among the members of the company.

The date has not yet been settled, but will be announced shortly.

## Here's a Brief List

—Of Those—

## CHRISTMAS OFFERINGS

### FOR MEN:

Hanan's Patent Vici Kid Shoes, Blucher and Lace at \$6; Stetson's, as above, and Button at \$5; Alligator, Vici Kid and Felt Slippers, 75c. to \$2.50.

### FOR WOMEN:

Dorothy Dodd and "Our Own Make" Oxfords and Shoes, \$2.50 and \$3; Alfred Dolge's Best Make Juliets at \$1.25; Cheaper Grade, same make, \$1.

And for the Children we have

Pretty Shoes and Slippers

## THE W. J. CHAMBERS SHOE CO.

Second door from corner, Opera House Block, Ocala, Florida.

### A STOCK MARKET

Ladies fair and lovely maidens, May we ask your kind attention To our cordial invitation To be present on occasion Of a sale of lovely neckwear At the armory.

On the seventeenth of December, For the benefit of Grace church, Which is worthy of your kindness? We have stocks of silk and cotton; Oxford stocks, pique and gingham, Madras, mercerized and sateen; Stocks of lawn and fine Swiss muslin.

Dimity and dainty laces; Cambric stocks and tuckings; Beaded stocks and rarest ribbon Smoothest satin, softest velvet, Bolting cloth, burlap and gunny, Seamless sack and embossed leather, Sisal grass and wire netting, Hemp and stocks of rawest rawhide; And all other stocks of commerce, Suitable for all occasions, Incidental to the welfare Of all peoples of all nations, Of all races and all stations. Come along and bring your money. Bring your money for the church Which will rise and call you blessed In the years of the hereafter. Don't forget the time and place, The armory, Dec. 17, 1902, from 5:30 to 11 p. m.

Hottest tea and coldest ices will be served during the session of the Stock Board.

By order of the Ladies of St. Catherine's Guild.

### TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

### SOLID GOLD JEWELRY

We have now open and ready for inspection the finest and most beautiful line of Solid Gold Jewelry that we have ever carried.

Ocala Music Co.

### STOP PAYING RENT

Own Your Own Property The Fidelity Home Buyers' Company of Chicago, Ill., incorporated, with \$100,000 capital, will furnish you the money to buy a home, build or pay off your mortgage.

I will be at the office of J. E. Bailey every Saturday from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m. to explain the benefits and receive applications for contracts for money. A. M. Higgins, Agent. Box 1, Electra, Fla. dw 1m1111

### HE FOUND A CURE

R. H. Foster, 318 S. 2d street, Salt Lake City, writes: "I have been bothered with dyspepsia or indigestion for 21 years, have tried many doctors without relief, but I have found a cure in Herbine. I recommend it to all my friends who are afflicted that way, and it is curing them, too." 50c. at Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

### FREE TO ALL

With every 5 cent purchase a chance on a handsome Meerschaum Pipe, to be given away every Saturday night. At

Peyser's Cigar Store.

### AT THE METHODIST

### CHURCH SUNDAY

The Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. was full of interest. The membership attendance was 125, and a number of visitors were also present. At the close of the lesson study the presiding elder, Rev. Ira S. Patterson, gave an excellent talk to the school, and especially to the children, showing the importance of their being consecrated to God in their infancy by their parents in infant baptism, one of the most impressive ordinances of the Methodist church; and also showing to the children the great necessity of their early choosing for themselves Christ as their Savior, thus ratifying the consecrating ordinance of infant baptism previously administered. Then followed a beautiful scene. The presiding elder opened the door of the church, and five little girls came forward and took upon themselves the solemn and impressive vows of the church, which were explained to them, and they were received into full membership.

At 11 o'clock Presiding Elder Patterson preached a grand sermon, taking as his subject "The Chambers of Imagery." He spoke of the great tendency to idolatry, that is, of worshipping secular things in place of God, and said that this idolatry is indulged in by many who were once loyal to God. He declared that we as a nation are dependent upon Christianity for prosperity, and that a continued disregard of our obligations to God and His church must result in the destruction of our national life.

The preacher showed the world to be beautiful in nature and in many other ways, and that we are to enjoy it, but not set our affections upon it and worship it. In beautiful contrast to his description of idolatry, the preacher then portrayed the worshiper of the true God, and grew more and more eloquent and powerful as he pictured the battle-scarred veteran of the cross whose scars in Heaven would sparkle like diamonds. The Epworth League in the afternoon was led by Mrs. Ervin, the topic being "Our Fellowship."

At 7 p. m. Presiding Elder Patterson preached an able sermon, in which he described the old sinful heart and the new regenerate heart. He said a new heart meant taking the place of the old heart. It meant more than reformation; it meant a revolution in life. He declared that if we could live without committing sin such a life would not save us unless we experienced a change of heart, or in other words became converted. He showed God to be the object and aim of the new heart's affection and love, and therefore it climbs and towers upward toward Him.

### THE PRIDE OF HEROES

Many soldiers in the last war wrote to say that for Scratches, Bruises, Cuts, Wounds, Corns, Sore Feet and Stiff Joints, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best in the world. Same for Burns, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Skin Eruptions and Piles. It cures or no pay. Only 25c. at Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

Fresh taffy candy made daily at Dame's.

## A MILLION ACRES

Of Timber Land Purchased by the Consolidated Naval Stores Company

(Metropolis, Dec. 16)

The Consolidated Naval Stores Company has within the past two weeks purchased over one million acres of Florida virgin timber lands. This purchase does not include the vast holding of the various companies prior to the merger last October.

On Saturday one of the largest payments for the big tracts of land was made to a representative of the Florida Land and Lumber Company, from which several hundreds of thousands of acres were purchased. A large amount of the holdings of the United States Land Company, of Washington, were also bought. Lands sold by this company lie principally in DeSoto county. The Florida Land and Lumber Co. owned what is known as the Chapman lands, lying in Volusia, Orange and Hillsboro counties.

The Consolidated Naval Stores Company will not develop the newly purchased lands at present, but will hold them for future use, turning them over to their Georgia customers to be developed when these concerns shall have worked out their present holdings.

The incorporators of the Beach Land Company were in session in this city Friday in the office of W. F. Coachman and perfected their organization by the election of officers, and closed up a deal for the purchase of 200,000 acres of land in Lee county. W. W. Beach is president and B. F. Bullard, of Savannah, is vice president.

## Just Received 60 PAIRS

Men's Black  
Clay Worsted

## PANTS

All sizes and guaranteed

## FAST COLORS

We have your size at  
**\$3.50 TO \$4**

## The Boston Store

McCall's Bazar Patterns for January are now on sale.

## EDWARDS BROTHERS AT THE CITY MARKET

Leading Wholesale & Retail Butchers  
**WESTERN AND CHOICE FLORIDA MEATS**

CELERY AND ALL OTHER VEGETABLES IN SEASON  
FREE DELIVERY TELEPHONE 108

## TIME LOCKS

How many people understand their working? You are invited to come in, let us explain and show you. We want you to see our Safe Deposit Boxes anyway.

MUNROE & CHAMBLISS,  
Bankers, Ocala, Fla.

## Mrs. D. M. Hick

THE OLD RELIABLE, YET EVER UP TO DATE MILLINERY ESTABLISHMENT, THAT HAS STOOD THE TEST OF TIME AND HAS EVER GIVEN SATISFACTION IN

## STYLES AND PRICES

TO ITS GROWING CONSTITUENCY, DESIRES A CONTINUANCE OF THE FAVORS SHOWN IN THE PAST, WITH AN ASSURANCE THAT NOTHING WILL BE LACKING ON OUR PART TO GIVE OUR CUSTOMERS ENTIRE SATISFACTION. NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS AND TO TRY TO PLEASE OUR PATRONS.

## MRS. D. M. HICK

Ocala Florida

## J. STARR STERNBERGER

17 1/2 South Main Street

## Real Estate and Collections

Houses For  
Sale, Lease, Rent, Exchange.

Rents Collected. Lots for Sale

Entire charge of Property handled on honor.

17 1/2 S. Main Street Next to Teapot Grocery